

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

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| Examiner | : | Nicole T. Gugliotta | |
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| Inventors | : | Tomoyuki Horiguchi Kyoko Yokoi Kentaro Kajiwara | Docket No.: TIP-05-1845 |
| Title | : | MICRO STAPLE FIBER NONWOVEN FABRIC AND LEATHER-LIKE ARTICLE IN SHEET FORM, AND METHOD FOR THEIR PRODUCTION | Confirmation No.: 3315 |
| | | | Dated: September 30, 2010 |

CLAIM OF EXTENSION OF TIME FOR RESPONSE
UNDER 37 CFR §1.136(a)

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313

Sir:

Applicants, through their undersigned attorney, hereby respectfully claim a one (1) month extension of time under 37 CFR §1.136(a) extending the time for Response to the outstanding Official Action dated June 10, 2010 from September 10, 2010 to October 10, 2010.

The Commissioner is authorized to charge the \$130.00 fee to Deposit Account No. 50-2719.

The Commissioner is also authorized to charge any fees or insufficiency to Deposit Account No. 50-2719.

Respectfully submitted,


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